

THE HAMLIN HERALD

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Ed Bury Brings In Another Oil Well On the Pardue Farm

Renewed interest is being manifested this week because Ed Bury, drilling contractor for the Southern Oil Corporation has extended the oil field farther west and northwest on the Pardue farm.

He scratched the oil line at 3,110 feet, penetrating only about a foot and a half, but within a short time the oil had risen 300 or 400 feet deep. This is not a new strata but it is a clear extension. This well is located 330 feet from the north line of the section, near the road leading west from the Hitson school, and 330 feet from the east line of the north half of the northwest quarter of section 202, block 1 BBB & C railway survey.

Besides the Bury well, there are two others or perhaps three others drilling on the Pardue farm. The O'Donnell and the Callahan, both are approaching the pay line, and things look good, in this end of the field.

Listen for other interesting facts in the entire fields next week.

FRUIT JAR DEMONSTRATION

NEXT THURSDAY, MAY 23

The readers of the Herald will notice that there will be a demonstration of the latest Ball Brothers all-glass fruit jars at the John T. Day & Son store on Thursday of next week, May 23.

If you are interested in the correct and economical methods of preserving Meats, Fruits, and Vegetables in glass (no metal) jars, this is your chance.

PIANO PUPILS WIN HONORS

IN NATIONAL TOURNAMENT

The National Piano-Teachers' Association annually sponsors a National Piano-Playing Tournament are held in most of the larger cities in the United States, Honolulu being included this year. Each student is graded on his own merits by a competent judge. Honorary judges are Hans Barth, Edwin Hughes and John Thompson, outstanding American composers.

Miss Edwina Gilbert entered thirteen of her pupils in the Tournament held in Abilene, May 9, 10 and 11. The following honors were awarded by the judge, Charles Froh of John Tarlton College, Stephenville:

Good-rating certificate, Milton Fletcher; District Honor Roll: Beulah Lou Burns, Billy Faye Rountree, Harold Fletcher, Anita Anderson, Velta Griffin, Marian Martin, Mignon Waggoner, La Nelle Carlton, Joyce H. dson, and Mildred Barrow; State Honor Roll, Maxine Brundage and Mary Jane Jones.

\$1.00 pays for the Herald 1 year.

MOTORCYCLE CRASHER

CRASHED WITH GIRL

Evidently there is something new under the sun.

As was indicated in last week's Herald, Johnny Holden, the "Motorcycle Crasher of Walls and burning fences," did his act Sunday afternoon but not alone. He found a partner in the person of a beautiful young lady to "Crash the Wall" with him. She did and neither got a scratch, although splintered planks flew high when the two "busted" into the wall. Who was the girl? you ask. Her name, Miss Maxine Howell, of Littlefield, who till this week worked in a cafe here in Hamlin. Holden said he did not know whether the young lady lacked good sense or had too much nerve or was trying to bluff him.

The only part of the game of crashing not as advertised was that the wall was not in a blaze. Two reasons for the change—that spectators could see the fence was not weakened by fire—and that the young woman could go through without singeing her hair.

Miss Pearl Bristow returned Monday from a visit with Miss Sue Bonner at Houston. This was her first time to see Houston and while there she got a trip to Galveston. She said she could hardly realize there was so much water in the world. This is a strange sight for a native West Texan. From Miss Bristow's remarks, the rains, the gulf, the magnolias, the pines, flowers, and a "yoke" of oxen at work in a field, convicts laboring on a farm, cultivators without seats, little ole plows with one mule a pulling and a man a "pushing"—yes, and there were the shipping yards—making a sight for a "high-lander" to remember.

BACK TO CALIFORNIA

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ussery and little daughter, Guetta, and Walter D. Fannin, left for Fresno, California, where they will again become brakemen on the Santa Fe. These fellows came from California last winter and from the way they talk, they like things out there. They went the 1934 V-8 route, to Los Angeles and across to Fresno.

Ray D. Russell, linotype operator and Herald printer, went to Wylie, Collin County, Texas, to visit his mother during the Mother's Day Sunday. His wife and little daughter, Janis, accompanied him back to Hamlin on Monday. Ray says he saw enough onions in Collin County to "odorfy" the whole state. Even the vacant lots are growing onions this year.

He is a gentleman who is courteous to his enemies.

DEATH CLAIMED M. Y. WILSON, TUES.

M. Y. Wilson, one of Hamlin's pioneer business men passed away at his residence in Hamlin at 12:30 A. M. Tuesday, April 14, after being in ill health for the past sixteen months. Mr. Wilson was a native of Tennessee, born in Adamsville, on March 28, 1855, and at the time of his death was 80 years, 1 month and 16 days of age.

He came to Texas at the age of 21 years and settled in Corsicana. His first marriage was to Miss Sofia Swearingin, and to this union there were seven children, three of whom died in infancy, one son, Elmo M. Wilson, a prominent business man of Hamlin, passed away a number of years ago, and the companion died about twenty years ago, of the seven children, three sons, Oscar, Floyd and Clyde Wilson, of this city survive.

On September 26, 1915, Mr. Wilson was united in marriage to Miss Ethel Patterson, of Hamlin, and to this union there were three sons, Jack, M. Y. Jr., and Stanley Wilson, who with their mother survive. There are six surviving grandchildren, Milton F. Wilson, Guy and Roy Wilson and Misses Clydene and Elmo Joy Wilson and Mrs. J. D. Greenway.

Mr. Wilson came to Hamlin 28 years ago, in the very first years of this city, and engaged in the Hardware, Furniture and Undertaking business.

From the very first days in Hamlin he showed his interest in the development of this community. He believed in the country and was not afraid to invest and work for its growth. He became active in the city government, and for many years was an influential member of the council. His first thought was for water for Hamlin and through his influence the Moore Lake was promoted. He was a member of the Methodist Church and always took a great part in the affairs of that organization, not only as an official in various capacities, but he contributed liberally to building both the old and the new church structure.

Mr. Wilson not only was concerned about the local community, but even after his health began to fail, he watched keenly the progress of national and state affairs. No one ever found M. Y. Wilson boosting the wrong side on anything. His code of life was high and noble. He was a man possessing a pleasing personality, tender-hearted and patient. Truly he was a faithful husband and a father devoted to his children.

During the 28 years in this community, Mr. Wilson accumulated considerable property, including several business houses, residential property and farms. He enjoyed the thrill of owning a good oil well on one of his farms, west of Hamlin, during the last years of his life. He lived all the time with a vision and a future. Up to the time, about sixteen months ago, when he suffered a stroke of

MUSIC PUPILS WILL BE PRESENTED IN RECITAL

On Tuesday, May 21, at the Methodist Church, 8:00 P. M., Miss Edwina Gilbert will present her pupils in the final recital of the year. The public is cordially invited to come.

Those taking part on the program will be: Milton Fletcher, Harold Fletcher, Joan Culbertson, Laura Jeanne Crabb, Billy Faye Rountree, Le Nelle Carlton, Joyce Hudson, Mildred Barrow, Velta Griffin, Emory Brown, Marian Martin, Anita Anderson, Mary Jane Jones, assisted by Warren Nobles, Anna Mae Calhoun, Maxine Brundage, Mignon Waggoner, Wanda Sebastian, Patsy O'Donnell, Faye LaVerne Howard, John Louis Norris, Beulah Lou Burns, Mary Beth Moody, and Marvin York Jr.

DRAMATIC RECITAL

MONDAY NIGHT, MAY 20TH

Miss Mary Belle Booth will present her Speech Arts class in a recital Monday night, May 20, in the High School Auditorium.

The program will open promptly at eight o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Littleton left Sunday afternoon for Memphis, Tenn., to attend the Annual Southern Baptist Convention. They will not return till some time next week. The pulpit will be occupied this Sunday by Dr. Atwood of Simmons University.

COTTON SEED

Have a lot of Aqualla Cotton Seed 1934 State Certified, culled, this year, for sale at 3 bushel for \$4.00 at my farm.

O. T. BROWN. (29-2p)

HAVE LOTS OF DEWBERRIES

At my place two miles south of Boyd Chapel. I have plenty of ripe Dewberries and will pick Mondays and Thursdays. 20c gallon you pick 'em; 30c we pick 'em.

JUDGE CROW (29-2p)

paralysis, he was active in looking after his interests. However, he retired from the merchandising field in 1917.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon, at 3:30, in charge of the pastor, Rev. Hugh A. Longino and a former pastor, Rev. Ben Hardy of Anson. Tributes befitting one who had lived so long and who had wrought so faithfully, were paid the deceased, in many ways. Business houses were closed during the funeral in his memory, the presence of the host of friends, despite the rain and mud, and the number of the floral offerings all spoke tenderly a language of love and appreciation.

Following the service the Maples Funeral Home had charge of the body and burial was in the North Hamlin Cemetery.

Best Rains In Three Years Soaking All West Texas

On top of last week's fine rains, again the country has gone unusually wet. Tuesday and Wednesday were the banner days, and to keep the good work up again Thursday afternoon, a regular old-timer deluged the country.

One farmer of the Hitson community was in Wednesday and he said he was sure it had rained six inches for his entire farm was standing in that much water. The general estimate however, was from two to three inches.

These fine rains are making the grain outlook better and better. J. C. Farris, a wheat farmer north of town, said he had the best rain on his wheat he had had in his whole farming experience in this country. Oats are going to be fine unless something happens to them. The excessive rains will perhaps require much re-planting of cotton. But as a whole this country is in far better condition than usual.

It might be in order here to tell the world that California Creek (that's the one running through Hamlin, to the south) is flowing for the first time since 1932. That means that the two Hamlin Lakes are full and running over. That means that we now have two lakes that are more than dam-full.

What a good season means now to this part of West Texas can hardly be estimated. Ranges are coming fast and cattle are sure to be fat this year.

DO YOU GET THE HAMLIN HERALD

If you get the Hamlin Herald this week, please notice on the address line to see how you stand. The information there shows how long your time is paid up for. If it says for example, Nov. 1934, or April 1935, that means the time you paid for has expired. Do you wish it to keep coming? If so a dollar is in order.

No paper will be mailed out next week in a single wrapper unless the subscription is paid up. This is fair to the subscriber as well as to the Herald.

The "Home folks" will also watch your dates, too.

Keeping the big list of subscribers' names absolutely up to date is a hard problem. But it is necessary from a business standpoint. It don't pay to be hard-boiled, but it does pay to be business-like. Send us another dollar and keep a good paper coming from a good town and community.

CHURCH PROPERTY IN HAMLIN

FOR SALE

For sale, for cash, a bargain in 24 acres (in a block) including one 11-room house. This is the old Nazarene College land. Apply to MARTIN WESTBROOK, Box 44, Hamlin, Texas.

ABLE-BODIED MEN TAKE NOTICE

U. S. DEPT. OF LABOR

U. S. Employment Service

Stamford, Texas

May 13, 1935.

The Hamlin Herald, Hamlin, Texas

Dear Sir:

Will you please publish an item in this issue of your paper, requesting all able-bodied men and women to register or renew their registration card with the National Re-Employment Service, City Auditorium, Stamford, Texas.

If it is impossible for them to come to the office to be personally interviewed, they should mail a Postal Card to renew their application. However, those who have not registered as yet should come to the office and be interviewed in person.

In view of the P. W. A. Program in every County in the near future, all who wish to work should be interviewed and state their special qualifications, as renewed efforts will be made to place everybody to work that are now unemployed.

Thanking you in advance for your kind co-operation, I am,

Yours very truly,

WM. T. BROWN,

Asst. Dist. Manager.

The above is self explanatory. Tell the "other fellow."

M. D. Sewell, of Waco, came up Sunday to look after farm property just south of the highway, east of McCaulley. Mr. Sewell has a fine fruit farm in the shinnery. Mr. Sewell has planted out about 5000 trees this year, including peaches, apples and plums. He has about 1000 bearing peach trees and he thinks he can gather 1000 bushels this year. Sewell plans to have 10,000 fruit trees growing on his place before he stops. He says not a day this year has his place needed rain.

LOTS OF BERRIES

BERRIES—Will commence gathering dewberries on Monday, May 20, 20c a bucket, at my place four miles southeast of Funston.

W. E. SHIELDS. (p)

DEWBERRIES

Plenty of fine fat Dewberries ready by May 20 — at my farm 9 miles east of Anson and 2 miles south. 20c per gal. You pick 'em, or 30c picked for you. Also have some nice May plums, red and juicy.

J. C. FIELDER. (29-2p)

Dee Campbell, manager of the Campbell Dry Goods Co., spent the past week-end "inspecting" points in New Mexico — kind of spring fever—but you see his brother, Frank, of Rule, had the store while Dee was getting back to Hamlin.

FREE CANNING DEMONSTRATION

by BALL BROTHERS

Mrs. Alisse Chaptman

DEMONSTRATOR

Correct and economical methods for preserving Meats, Fruits and Vegetables in



Attendance Prizes Given! Individual Canning Problems Solved



JARS No Metal Taste

2:00 P. M., MAY 23

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Hamlin, Texas

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Protects Your Funds In This Bank

THERE CAN BE NO QUESTION about the security of funds entrusted to this institution.

Through the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, created by Congress as a permanent Federal agency, all of our depositors are protected against loss of their deposits to the extent of \$5,000 in each account.

The additional security for deposits made possible by this insurance should be a real incentive for you to open an account here. It furnishes a sound basis for confidence in the safety of your funds under all conditions.

Farmers & Merchants Nat'l Bank

HAMLIN

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BOWEN POPE

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THE LEGISLATURE

As is common every two years, there is much said about what the Legislature did or did not do. It has adjourned after a session of about 124 days. The amount of time occupied is equal to one regular session and a little more than two special sessions as measured by the old plan. Can anybody accuse them of doing more or as much as was done in the good old days of \$5.00 per. The present plan of 120 days regular session has cost the state more than four times what it did in former days. Did the legislature do as much as you desired, what you desired, or did they do too much? It is not always what they do but what they authorize you to do. What they do is far different to what the candidates say they want done when they ask for the office, especially in this ture of candidates for governor. That means candidate governor, is not familiar how slow or how obstinate a legislature is. Again it is seen that 99 per cent of the time of the legislature is taken up with something that means nothing to the masses of the people as far as fixing laws and regulations that will enable the common run of mortals to fight his battles of life on a more even basis. Sketch the bills that were passed and see how they measure up.

WANTED—Man with car. Route experience preferred but not necessary. Rawleigh, Dept. TXE-333-M, Memphis, Tenn. May 3-10-17p)

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Crow and children of Big Spring came over Wednesday to spend a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Crow, of the Boyd Chapel community. Marcus says it rained all the way from Big Spring and lots of it.

DEATHS

There were 828 suicides in Texas in 1932—722 in 1933 and 705 in 1934.

There were 3,112 fatal accidents in Texas in 1930 and in 1934 there were 4,013.

In 1931 there were 23 deaths in Texas caused by collisions between autos and railroads, but in 1934 there were 69 similar deaths.

Fatal accidents from airplanes in 1932 were 27 and in 1934, there were 46.

When it comes to murders in Texas we find 576 in 1930 and 1,016 in 1934.

Automobiles takes most lives. In 1930 there were 907 deaths due to automobiles and in 1934 there were 1,533 deaths due to the auto.

W. ROWE BROWN OPENS

OPENS MEAT MARKET AT TERRELL'S RED & WHITE

This week the Terrell's Red & White Store heads their ad with the Market Specials.

W. Rowe Brown, well-known market man is the manager and he needs no special introduction.

This new department is quite an addition to the Terrell store.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Braymer, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Vida Braymer, of Bradford, Pa., who is a guest in their home, spent the week-end in Fort Worth visiting William Little.

WISE CHAPEL ITEMS

We are having some more rain. All the farmers are very busy.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Monks and family, of Abilene, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Proffitt and Mrs. Nane Proffitt.

Mrs. Nix, of Spur, is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Herbst.

Miss Florine Riddle spent Sunday and Sunday night with Aurelia Mae Proffitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and family, Mrs. Annie Grantham, of San Angelo, Miss Minnie Hayes and Pack McIntosh of Flat Top, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hunter and family of Hamlin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bonds and family Sunday.

John Teague, of Memphis, Tennessee, spent the week-end with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Teague and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bush spent the week-end in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Ray and family of Truby, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bristow.

Bert Hayes of Truby, spent Sunday with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hayes and family.

Mrs. E. A. Isbill visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isbill and family, at Anson, the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harbor and Mr. and Mrs. Neal, all of Abilene, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Agnew and two daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isbill in Anson.

Miss Bessie Hayes spent Saturday night with Lotta Proffitt of Hamlin.

Mrs. Neal Chastain and son, of Spur, and Mrs. Annie Barnett, of Littlefield, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fletcher, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sition, of Stamford, and Mr. and Mrs. George Britton, of Roby, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Fomby Sunday.

—JOYCE.

SCHOOL NEWS

Monday night closed our school term for 1934-35.

We had three nights of very entertaining programs.

We consider that we have spent

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GROCERY—Clee Barnett, Mgr. — MARKET W. Rowe Brown, Mgr.

Market Specials

Bacon	SUGAR CURED Sliced, Lb.	25c
Cheese	LONGHORN Full Cream, Lb.	20c
Bologna	2 Lbs. for	25c
Shoulder Steak	Lb.	17c
Beef Roast	Cut from Prime Beef, Lb.	17c

K. C.	Baking Powder	25-Oz.	17c
Bran Flakes	Red & White	3 Pkg. For	25c
Gallon Pears	- -		35c
Gallon Prunes	- -		29c
Dried Peaches	2 Lbs. For		25c
MEAL	TEXO 20 LBS.		55c
Flour	Red & White 48 LBS		\$1.85
Potatoes	No. 1 Old	10 Lbs For	17c
LETTUCE	Nice Crisp	2 For	9c
LEMONS	Large Size	- Doz.	17c
APPLES	Large Size	- Doz.	33c
ORANGES	Large	- Doz.	27c
Corn Flakes	Red & White	3 Pkg. For	25c
SYRUP	STEAMBOAT	Gallon	49c

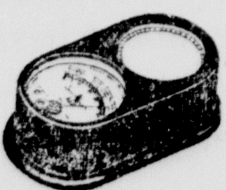
Shortening Bird Brand 4 pounds - 59c
8 pounds \$1.09

Bring Us Your EGGS—We Pay TOP Prices

Now WE CAN Both SEE!

THIS wise father has put his reading lamp to double use. He found that when both he and his son shared the same light neither one could really see properly. So here's what he did: He bought a floor lamp equipped with an indirect lighting reflector. In the sockets under the shade he put 60-watt lamps for reading. In the reflector at the top he inserted a 300-watt Mazda lamp.

Now they can both see. Dad can place the lamp wherever he wants it without robbing the boy of the light he needs.



In order to be sure that you have the right kind of light, ask for the free services of our lighting expert. He will measure your light with the Sight Meter. Then you will know.

West Texas Utilities Company

a very successful school year. We have two county championship basketball teams, and the team that did not win championship won 33 out of 34 games played and one indoor baseball team won the county championship. In all we won 13 pennants and three trophies including the rural loving cup.

Last Friday was a very enjoyable day and we had a large picnic at the school house with lots of dinner and a big barrel of lemonade and several gallons of ice cream. The McCaulley senior indoor ball team came Friday and played two games. They won one and we won one.

Last Friday Mr. Willis Grimes, of Avoca, who will teach here next term brought his orchestra over and the music was enjoyed by everyone.

Out of the 13 pupils that took the seventh grade state examinations, 8 of them made "A".

Those on the honor roll for the 8th month of school are: 1st Grade, Glenn Jones, Delma Rhoton, Glenna Mae Whitaker, Mary E. Lassiter; 2nd Grade, J. W. Perryman and Letha Mae Jones; 6th Grade, Jack Vaughan, Bernice Bush, Laverne Jones and Charlene Rich; 7th Grade, Mary Greenway, J. W. Mayfield, Eral Ray, J. R. Elliott, H. D. Jones and Adelaide Jenkins. Those on the honor roll for every month during the year are: 1st Grade, Glen Jones and Delma Rhoton, 7th Grade: Mary Emmett Greenway; 9th Grade, Audine Vaughn and Emil Ray Farmer; 10th Grade, Carolyn Frances Greenway and W. B. Teague.

We are glad to state that we are getting our school building worked on and re-painted, and also report the addition of a large cistern for drinking water.

We think we will have a nice looking building to begin next year's work in.

—REPORTER.

Mrs. J. H. Bridener, of Baltimore, Md., is spending the month here with her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Pike, Jr.

Mrs. Cleve Dunn, Mrs. W. C. Russell and sons, Jack and Teddy, left Thursday for Ruidoso, New Mexico, where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Dunn owns the Texas Cabins in that summer resort. This is her third summer in Ruidoso.

SYRUP BUCKETS WANTED

Will buy 75 one gallon syrup buckets, lids not required, must be in fair condition. Pay 5c each at ALBRITTON FOOD STORE. (p)

The LARGEST Loaf baked in West Texas is produced in Hamlin by Eddie Jay's Bakery.

Every Cake baked for Mother's Day was sold. This is a reminder that we keep fresh cakes every day, and they meet every requirement equal to the home-cooked cakes—and far cheaper—and we bake cakes for any special occasions.

EDDIE JAY'S BAKERY.

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666 MALARIA in 3 days
COLDS first day.
Liquid - Tablets TONIC and
Salve - Nose Drops LAXATIVE

Report of Jones County Expenditures for April, 1935

Number open cases on Relief May 1, 1935	931
Number people represented	4,809
Number cases receiving relief during April	856
Number people represented	4,427
Allotment for April for General Relief	\$13,440.00
Amount expended Work Relief	\$8,573.20
Amount expended Direct Relief	2,925.14
Amount expended Transient Relief	129.71
Administrative Salaries	721.50
Project Supervision and Office Equipment and Supplies	498.62
TOTAL EXPENDED	\$12,847.17
Allotment for April Rural Rehabilitation Sub-sistence for Capital Goods	\$ 1,300.00
Amount expended Rural Rehabilitation program	\$1,129.87
Average Cost per case during April	\$ 15.00
Average cost per person	2.90
Allotment for May for General Relief	\$16,015.00
Allotment for May for Rural Rehabilitation Program	2,900.00

LENORE CHRISTIAN,
Administrator.
BESSIE DEAN,
Certifying Officer.

FISHER CO. WOMEN**VERY ACTIVE**

AS REPORTED TO AND BY MISS
EVELYN JENNINGS, FISHER
CO. HOME DEM. AGENT

**MAKING USEFUL LITTLE
THINGS OUT OF NOTHING**

"My husband thinks more of the hat stand I made for him than anything else he has because it keeps his hat in shape," Mrs. Frank Allen (first year Wardrobe Demonstrator) stated to members of the Round Top Home Demonstration Club at the Achievement Day Program held in her home May 3. Mrs. Allen bought new lumber and built a closet in the southwest corner of her bedroom, \$4.04 covered all the expenses. The rod for hangers was made from an old mop handle and above the rod is a shelf across the west and south sides of the closet. 4 shelves are placed across the south side of the closet below the rod and a shoe rack is hung under the last shelf for Mrs. Allen's shoes. Below this is a shelf for Mr. Allen's shoes and drawer space for socks, shoe polish, shoe brushes, etc.

A rack for belts and pockets for flash light and clothes brush are hanging on the inside of the closet door. The closet door had served as a closing for the maize bin. A dozen coat hangers have been covered with meal sacks which had been previously tinted. Three hat stands have been made. An old lamp base covered with an old felt hat serves as a hat stand for Mr. Allen, and wooden hat stands covered from old tams are used by Mrs. Allen. Other things displayed by Mrs. Allen were: Suit cover made of an old gown and starched is used to protect clothing. 2 radio batteries have been covered and are used as a step to reach top shelves in the closet; a brick that has been covered with felt from an old hat is used for a door prop; the dresser drawer has been partitioned for gloves, purses and handkerchiefs; a hooked rug, and underwear. A purse of yellow wafflecloth trimmed in brown yarn were greatly admired by everyone present and each person asked for and received a glove and purse pattern.

DEMONSTRATOR ADDS**PROTECTOR FOR BEDDING**

Jewell Anderson, Bedroom Demonstrator in Round Top 4-H Girls' Club has made protectors for the mattress and pillows in her room. Jewell has also made other very helpful improvements in her room such as screening the windows and doors,

home made library table and shelves in the closet and a rag rug added. She has also made a dresser scarf and reticked a pair of pillows. During the few months that Jewell has been Bedroom Demonstrator she has learned to make her bed properly, re-finish old furniture, place furniture in her room correctly.

ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM**AT BETTY JO ABBOTTS**

Members of the McCauley 4-H Girls' Club met at the home of Betty Jo Abbott, Bedroom Demonstrator, May 2, for Achievement Program.

Betty Jo removed the green from the woodwork and painted it ivory. Knobs were added to the doors and the north door changed to open into the living room instead of the bedroom in order to give more wall space for better furniture arrangement. The screen door opening on the porch was nailed up and hinges have been added so the door may be opened. A new top was put on an old table that Betty Jo's grandmother had when she started housekeeping. The old paint was removed and the table was stained oak to match the bedroom suite.

An old iron stand for wash bowl and pitcher was secured and finished with ivory enamel. A white enamel bowl and pitcher completes the wash center.

Unnecessary pictures and articles have been removed and the furniture has been re-arranged in the room.

HITSON HOME DEM. CLUB**HAD MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM**

The Hitson Home Demonstration Club met Friday, May 10th, at the High School building at 2:00 P. M. with the President in charge.

Miss Jennings met with us for our Mother's Day program. The program began with a duet, "I Heard My Mother Call My Name In Prayer," sung by Miss Thelma Cox and Mrs. G. W. Calvert. Followed by a very touching reading on, "Our Obligations to Our Mother" given by Mrs. Will Townsend. Mrs. R. D. Callwell gave a very fine reading on "Motherhood."

There were sixteen present, two new members and two visitors. Miss Jennings discussed some very interesting things on home work.

Come meet with us the next 4th Friday and make our Club one hundred percent.

—REPORTER.

Miss Ruby Thompson was "Miss Hamlin" at the Plainview Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. This fact was not made known last week when other representatives were being named.

Joe A. Simpson Grocery

**SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
—CASH ONLY—**

Save your coupons for dishes—Set consists of 48 Pieces

Gal. Fruit Blackberries, Prunes, Peaches **35c**

Crackers 2 Lb. Box **17c**

Potatoes No. 1's—10 Lbs. **19c**

Syrup "Steamboat"—Gallon **49c**

MATCHES, Carton **22c**

Flour "Gladiola" 48-Lb. Sack **\$1.95**

Cream Meal 20-Lb. Sack **53c**

Laundry Soap All Kinds, 6 for **25c**

Hominy No. 2½ Can **10c**

Sauerkraut No. 2½ Can **10c**

Tomatoes No. 2 Can **3 for 25c**

CORN, No. 2 Can **10c**

Shortening 8-Lb. Carton **\$1.03**

GRAPE PUNCH Pint **12c**

Tomato Juice Campbell's, 2 for **15c**

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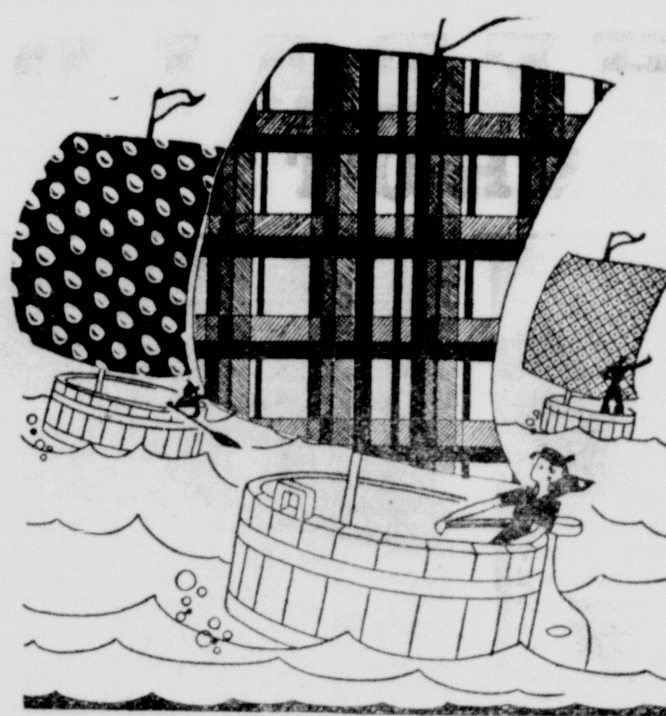
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The greatest project ever started There wasn't anything I could do except fly over the ranch.

direct highway to connect Mexico City with Houston, San Antonio, Dallas and the rest of the United States — is blocked at the present time by the inability of the road builders to put a road through Kenedy County, Texas, which stands squarely in the path.

Collier's Weekly, which sent Owen P. White, one of its associate editors, down to Kenedy County, to find out the whys and wherefores of this blockade, publishes his report in today's issue. Mr. White was unable to get into Kenedy County, his way being barred by a "Keep Out" sign, placed there by its owner, John G. Kenedy. So he hired an airplane and flew over it.

Larger than the state of Rhode Island, it is owned by one man, governed by the same man, and as Mr. White reports "apparently the state authorities and indignant motorists who have to detour around it can't do anything about it."

Its 1335 square miles are completely surrounded by barbed wire, enclosing a large section of the finest cow country in Texas, a mammoth ranch that stands exactly in the way of the beautiful concrete road that comes up from the Rio Grande to the county line, and suddenly ends there in a mesquite thicket. On the north boundary of the County, the road starts again but there is no connecting link across Kenedy County.

"For years," says Mr. White, "thousands of people interested in direct communications with one another have been trying to tear down just one barbed wire fence, and they can't do it. Even Uncle Sam tore his pants a couple of times and then he quit. Kenedy County has been protected despite the fact that from as far away as Chicago on the north and the City of Mexico on the south have come walls and protests and strident demands that the people of Texas tear down the walls of Kenedy County and let folks through."

"But as far as Mr. Kenedy and his cattle are concerned, this is Utopia. Nobody bothers them. Nobody can

nothing can be done—this statement is true if "eminent domain" can be exercised only through a Commissioners' Court, but if the State had "eminent domain" without the County, there is no reason why Kenedy County should block progress of a state and two nations. In Texas the Highway Department can build roads through a county with or without County aid. If the state can not exercise eminent domain for right-of-way, a law should be passed to that effect.

A few days after a poor man had put his two children to school a book agent called on him and said:

"Now that your children go to school you ought to buy them an encyclopedia."

"Buy them an encyclopedia? Hanged if I do," was his retort. "Let 'em walk, like I did."

LEISURE

There are four main uses of leisure.

The first is idleness; the second is entertainment; the third is physical recreation; and the fourth intellectual improvement.

By what men do with their leisure we must judge to what extent civilization has been a success.

Mrs. George Daniel of Plainview, was a guest of friends in Hamlin this week.

Keep a Good Laxative always in your home

Among the necessities of home is a good, reliable laxative. Don't be without one! Do your best to prevent constipation. Don't neglect it when you feel any of its disagreeable symptoms coming on. . . . "We have used Theodor's Black-Draught for 21 years and have found it a very useful medicine that every family ought to have in their home," writes Mrs. Perry Hicks, of Belton, Texas. "I take Black-Draught for biliousness, constipation and other ills where a good laxative or purgative is needed. I have always found Black-Draught gives good results."

Sold in 25-cent packages.

BLACK-DRAUGHT

Mrs. Eunice Thompson and daughters were called to Colorado, Texas, on Thursday of last week, by the sudden death of Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mrs. Beulah Goodletts.

FERGUSON THEATRE HAMLIN, TEXAS

FRIDAY NIGHT

SHIRLEY TEMPLE in

"BABY TAKE A BOW"

Also Two Reel Comedy

SAT. MAT. & NITE

—Two Big Features—

JACK HOLT in:

"UNWELCOME STRANGER"

BOB STEELE in

"LAND OF MISS- ING MEN"

Also "SCRAPPY" CARTOON

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY

WALLACE BEERY in

"WEST POINT OF THE AIR"

The story of the soldiers of the Skies! Nothing like it in the History of Screen Thrills. Filmed in Randolph Field, San Antonio. With Robert Young, Maureen O'Sullivan. Also Technicolor Musical

TUES. NIGHT— LADY"

"VAGABOND"

A Delightful Romantic Comedy Its the Tops in Fun and Romance with Robert Young and Evelyn Venable

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GEORGE RAFT and BEN

BERNIE in:

"STOLEN HARMONY"

Also Selected Shorts

COMING:

"BRIGHT EYES" May 26-27; Preview May 25.

"STAR OF MIDNIGHT" June 2-3; Preview June 1

Always Comfortable

BANKERS' ASSOCIATION STIMULATES ADVERTISING

The American Bankers Association's Advertising Department reports rapid progress of the use by banks of the informative bank newspaper advertising prepared by it for members to assist them in rebuilding public confidence and good will in their communities.

The central theme of this advertising service deals with the "essential line of economic and social service that all sound banking inherently renders the depositor and the public," the report says, showing that "It is not banking laws which make banking useful and safe, but that fundamentally it is honesty and skill in management under private initiative."

The Advertising Department is supplying about a thousand members of the association with newspaper and other advertising material. The newspaper material totals about 50,000 advertisements annually. The growth of the work of the department is shown by the following figures: On September 1, 1934, the number of banks being served regularly each month was 623. The total number on April 1, 1935, was 924, an increase of 301 regular subscribers, or 49 per cent in a period of seven months.

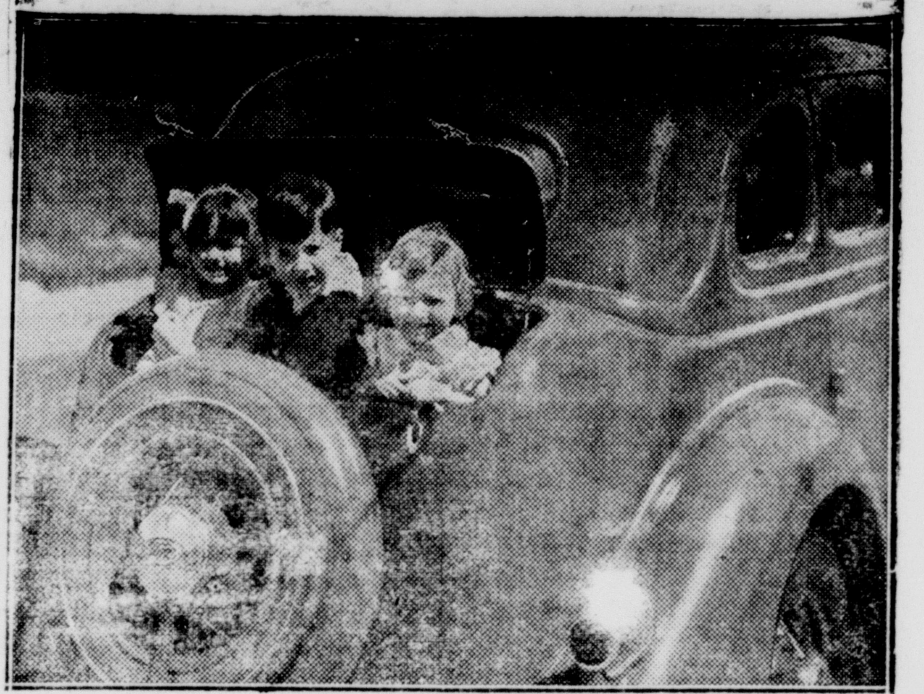
WARS ON BANK ROBBERS

National Bankers Association Pressing Active Steps to Protect Members—Losses Cut

Imprisonment or death of many desperate bank criminals the past year has brought no appreciable reduction in attacks on banks, James E. Baum, in charge of the American Bankers Association Protective Department, has reported to his organization.

In the six months ended February 28, 1935, he says, banks were targets for 169 daylight holdups and 40 night burglaries. He added that although banks that are not members number only about half those enrolled in the association, they suffered a far greater rate of attack, namely, 51 per cent of all the bank robberies committed during the period.

JUST A TRUNKFUL!



THREE smiling young stowaways demonstrate the ample space available for luggage, golf clubs or trophies of a shopping expedition, found in the trunk compartment of the new Ford V-8 Touring Sedans, two of the new deluxe types recently announced by the Ford Motor Company. The trunk compartment—with 13 cubic feet of space—is an inherent part of the design of the Tudor and Fordor Touring Sedan body types. All the space is used for

DAD KNOWS

The conscientious teacher wrote on the back of little Tommy Jones' report card: "A good worker, but talks too much."

Back came the card later with the statement over the signature of Tommy's father: "You ought to meet his mother."

Question in the eighth grade examination: "Is it safe to turn on the electric light while taking a bath?" Answer: "Yes, if you pull down the shades."

Miss Bernice Dean, of Lubbock, is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. Coy Fielder.

The Hamlin Housewife is our only competitor in producing Bakery Products.—EDDIE JAY'S BAKERY.

—It Pays to Look Over the Ads.

Poor Debs—They Have To Play Harder Than Most Of Us Work



The Misses Elizabeth and Laura de Rham, debutantes of New York City and Tuxedo Park, discuss plans for a little relaxation after a strenuous social season.

LAURA and Elizabeth de Rham are two active young debutantes of New York City and Tuxedo Park. Life for them is a strenuous round of parties. Sometimes the day begins with a breakfast party. There are the usual luncheons, bridges, teas, cocktail parties, dinners, dances, supper parties.

All good debutantes also have to go South after Christmas, to Bermuda or Nassau or Florida. They have no choice, poor dears. Their routine in New York City means theatres, social work and perhaps an occasional lecture, too. But it's a strain to be gay all your waking hours, and life for them isn't the bed of roses it seems to the other nine-tenths of the world. It means a debutante's health has to be watched with an eagle eye, like the President's, or a champion prize fighter's, or a stage star's. So debutantes have to be wise, her step springy.

THE HERALD SNAPSHOTS

SMALL, BUT THEY HAVE LARGE VOICES—Three of the world's smallest mid-gets recently came to Los Angeles with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rodriguez, from Gallup, N. M. Left to right: Paulino, 6 years of age, Inez, 8, and Trinidad, 11.

BARRY MCKINLEY, who came to the air waves from auto-racing speed tracks, is looking over New York's auto market. Barry is heard in "Dreams Come True," Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, over a nationwide hook-up.

FRONT PAGE—Working on The Gibson Family's newspaper, Lois Bennett and Conrad Thibault scoop the Ivory "Start in Life" contest to be announced over their program. Contest offers two \$5,000 first prizes with choice of prizes in lump sum or of financing four-year college course for winners' son or daughter with additional \$1,000 on graduation.

WILL HE COME BACK?—Charley Gelbert, former star short stop of the St. Louis Cardinals, is trying to get back his old job, after a two year lay-off due to an accident.

RAE HICKOK, President of the Rochester company bearing his name which manufactures men's belts and men's jewelry, with a six-foot-seven inch panther shot by him near Bonita Springs, Fla. The great deer-killing cat was found in its last stronghold east of the Rockies.

OUR PRESIDENT IN SUGAR—This sweet California lassie is no sweeter than the picture you see here of our President. It is a candied affair drawn with chocolate on a sugar base.

TRENDS FAVORABLE IN STATE BANKING

Recent Figures Indicate Large Increases in Deposits and Invested Funds

Improvement in the condition of state banks in almost every respect during 1934 is shown by statistics recently assembled, Robert M. Hanes, President Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, points out in an article in "Banking" published by the American Bankers Association. The figures on which this statement is based were gathered by the Committee on State Bank Research of the association from reports furnished by state bank supervisors throughout the country.

"Ever since 1921 the number of state banks has been declining," Mr. Hanes says. "Between 1931 and 1934 the decline was rapid. Figures for December 31, 1934, showed that the downward trend has not yet ended, but the decline last year was the smallest in twelve years."

There are now, he says, about ten thousand state banks, which term includes all state chartered institutions with the exception of mutual savings banks. The article continues:

"Even more significant was the ending of the decline of deposits in state banks which had been going on since the collapse of the stock market boom in 1929. In recent years for which figures are available the drop has been particularly abrupt. Total deposits in state banks declined from \$20,395,762.00 on December 31, 1931, to \$15,424,23,000 on December 31, 1933. The record for 1934 shows a recovery to \$17,087,766,000 at the year-end."

Significance of Increased Deposits

"It is particularly gratifying to note the expansion of deposits, since it was their decline which made necessary the liquidation of investments, the calling of loans, and all the other phenomena which go under the name of 'deflation' and have brought banks so much criticism in recent years. It is now plain that this was due to efforts of the banks to place themselves in the possession of enough liquid assets to meet the growing demands of depositors for the return of a part of the money which had been placed on deposit."

"That this is true is borne out by the movement of invested funds of state banks, which has paralleled that of deposits. These invested funds (loans and discounts plus investments) for state banks, dropped from \$20,291,320,000, at the end of 1931, to \$14,915,773,000 at the end of 1933. By December 31, 1934, however, they had recovered to \$15,769,510,000. All of this gain is accounted for by the increase in investments during 1934, the expansion amounting to approximately \$1,300,000,000."

"As for loans and discounts, they registered a slight drop again in 1934, but the rate of decline was much smaller than in previous years, which in itself is progress. Whereas the drop in loans and discounts amounted to approximately \$3,300,000,000 in 1932, and to approximately \$1,300,000,000 in 1933, it was less than \$500,000,000 in 1934."

"In another respect the balance sheet figures for December 31, 1934, were especially impressive. Bills payable and discounts of the state banks, which at the end of 1932 had reached a depression high of \$669,709,000, had dropped by the close of last year to the low figure of \$82,101,000. One must search the records as far back as 1917 to find bills payable and rediscounts of state banks at a lower figure. Moreover, it is reasonable to expect a further reduction of such borrowings during the current year."

TO FOIL BANK CROOKS

NEW YORK.—The American Bankers Association Protective Committee has developed a plan of bank inspection to bring out exposure hazards or weak spots in respect to attacks by criminals based on its long-established, nationwide experience in investigating bank burglaries, holdups and sneak thefts.

The inspection covers eighty leading violations and seventeen recommendations which are instructive in the prevention of such crimes. These relate to such subjects as the use of alarms and their protective equipment, also the condition of windows, doors, skylights and other entrances which have facilitated the early morning entry of bandits who kidnap bank employees from their homes during the night, or break to the bank premises and bind and gag the employees.

BANKERS HELP

"Save the Land and You Save the Man" is the essence of a suggested agricultural program recommended by the National Bankers Agricultural Committee. "Beware of impoverished soil, lest you impoverish homes," says a statement sent to the banks to be distributed to their farmer customers. "To improve the land, build up the man by:

- a. Stopping erosion.
- b. Planting legumes.
- c. Raising livestock.
- d. Developing pastures.
- e. Looking ahead with foresight—know what you are doing, the way to:
1. Draw up a farm inventory.
2. Keep a record, daily, weekly.
3. Budget expenses, and keep within.

BOYD CHAPEL NEWS

A large crowd enjoyed the Mother's Day program and preaching service at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. G. D. Johnson, of Anson, spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Flood.

Mattie Lou Bingham, of Rochester, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham.

Mr. M. L. Haught and family spent Sunday in the Hinson community.

Mr. Oscar Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Tabb, Mrs. J. B. Early and family and Mr. Spurgeon Dunn and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tabb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Othal Gray of Anson, and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Fielder of Hamlin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dean.

Friends of Miss Ruby Cornelius were sorry to hear of her operation for acute appendicitis, which was performed at the Baptist Sanitarium at Abilene, Sunday night. She was reported to be resting nicely Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Killeen, of Trent, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cozzen Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Donaghey, of Plainview, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dean.

Mr. Earl Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S.

King of Neinda.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. nively spent the past week-end with relatives at Baird.

Misses Josie Flood, Mittie Taylor and Polly Kelley visited Mrs. Herther Taylor Sunday.

Friends of Mr. Foote will be interested to know that he is improving some after a long illness.

Mrs. F. L. Wood returned home Sunday after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Harris, of Abilene, who is quite ill.

Mrs. Wes Niedeecken spent Saturday with Mrs. Charlie Bingham.

CANE SEED FOR SALE

I have a lot of Ashburn Red Top Canoe Seed for sale at 7c per pound at my farm.

O. T. BROWN. (26-4p)

If you wish FRESH bread, buy Eddie's Hamlin-baked BREAD.

BOWMAN Says "Save"



On Your Shoes by Having Them
REPAIRED AT
**J. B. BOWMAN'S
SHOE SHOP**

M'CAULLEY NEWS

A BENEFIT PLAY

AT M'CAULLEY

"OUT OF THE ARK CAME NOAH"

—Cast of Characters—

Noah Bennett.....

---KENNETH HENDRICKSON

Mr. George McElwane.....

---WESLEY AKINS

Franz Arnold.....

---LOYD ANDRESS

Terry Malone.....

---HUIE PARKER

Dawson --- ARNOLD GALLOWAY

Julia McElwane ---AILEEN KEAN

Billy Bob Vance.....

---LEONA MABERRY

Mrs. O'Leary --- NOLA AKINS

Lenora Maitland.....

---EMMA HOPKINS

Martha Lee --- KATE RAINEY

Madelle Lebow---BEATRICE CURTIS

"Maggie"—also "Baska"-----

---ELIZABETH HENDRICKSON

Small Admission Charge

MAY 23rd

at M'CAULLEY HIGH SCHOOL

DON'T SCRATCH! Get Paracide Ointment, the guaranteed Itch Remedy. Guaranteed to relieve any form of Itch or Itching Piles within 48 hours or Money Refunded. Large jar 50c at
WAGGONERS DRUG STORE,
(29-4p).

NEINDA NEWS

Here we are again, and still having a little rain, especially today (Tuesday).

Mrs. L. L. Mercer and two daughters from Sweetwater, spent the last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Brown.

Mrs. R. T. Alexander and children, Margaret and Tootie, took dinner with Mrs. Watson and family Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eddington and Miss Mildred Tollison Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hubbard and daughter, Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tollison, Rheba and Athaleen Tollison.

Those enjoying a hike Monday were Margaret Alexander, Mary Lee Winslet, Ruby Alice, Shira, Athaleen Tollison and Dena Myrtle Rodgers.

Miss Odessa Jones spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Hubbard visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hubbard Saturday night.

Miss Neeta Tidwell spent Saturday night with Miss Fannie Ruth Gillis.

MAN'S HEART STOPPED, STOMACH GAS CAUSE

W. L. Adams was bloated so with gas that his heart often missed beats after eating. Adierika rid him of all gas, and now he eats anything and feels fine.
WAGGONER DRUG CO.

MISS FAIREY TO BE A HOSTESS TO GUESTS

DENTON, May 14.—Miss Bernice Fairey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fairey of Hamlin, will serve as a hostess for the 2,000 guests expected to attend the one-day short course Friday, May 17, at Texas State College for Women (CIA)

As a vocational home economics major in the college Miss Fairey will act as guide over the campus, introducing latest economic improvements and methods of carrying on rural arts and home management according to recent scientific practices. She will direct management of the picnic lunch to be served at noon on the campus in co-operation with the Denton Chamber of Commerce. Miss Fairey is a sophomore in the college.

FOR RENT

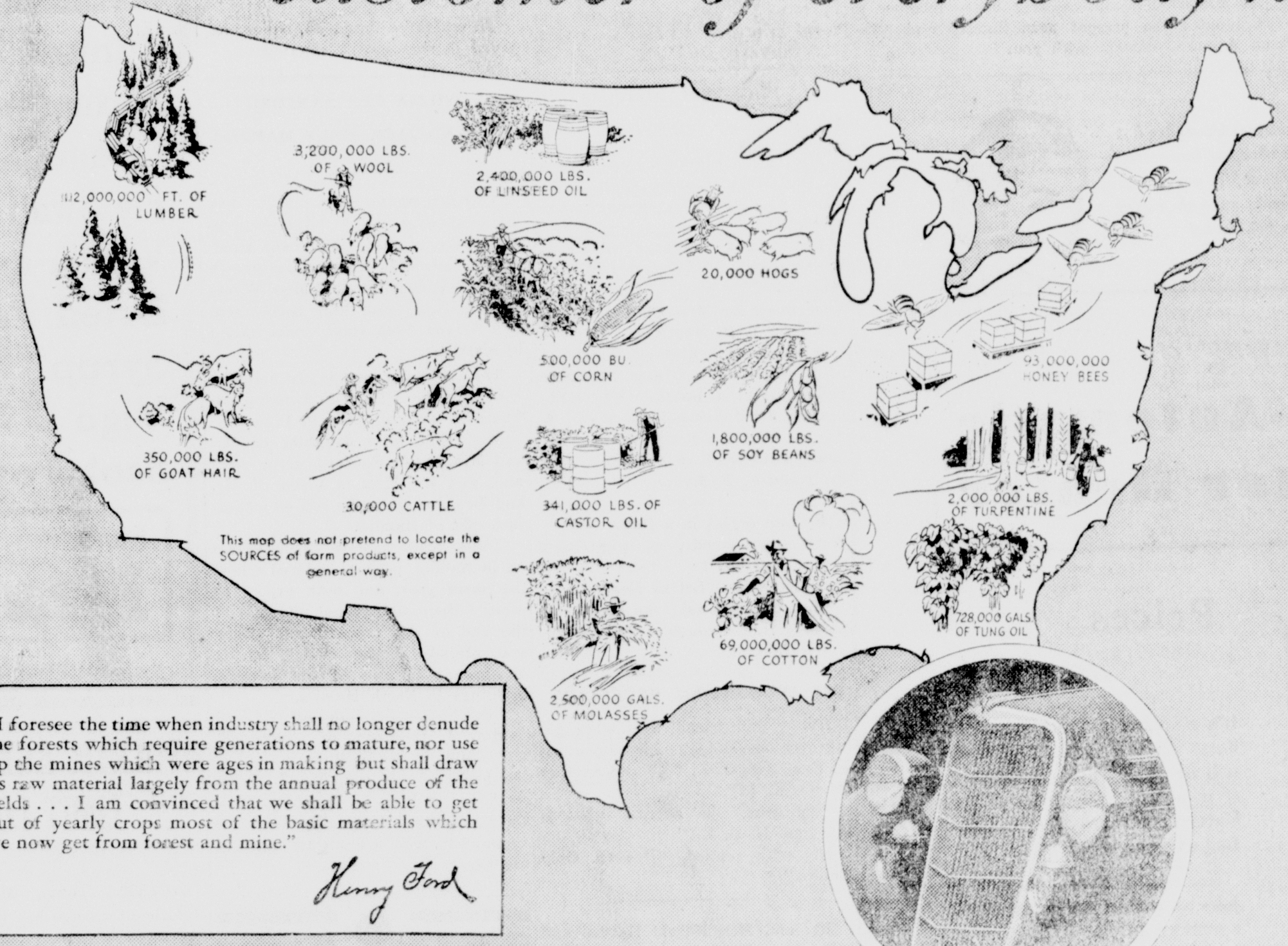
4 Room Furnished Apartment. Close in. Adults only. Call 65.
W. E. BENSON. (28-2t)

W. T. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, was carried to the Stamford sanitarium last week for an acute case of appendicitis. He stood the operation fine so reports go.

R. E. RODGERS

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Practice in All the Courts
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HAMLIN — TEXAS

The motor car is a good customer of everybody..



THE map above tells only part of the story—the little-known story of the inter-relation of the Ford V-8 car and the farm.

The figures in the map are based on what will be used this year if the Ford Motor Company reaches its intended production of 1,000,000 cars and trucks.

WOOL goes into upholstery, floor coverings, lubricants and anti-rust preparations.

LEATHER goes into upholstery—and in addition, glues are made from cow hide, and from cow's milk... Other parts of cattle, through other processes, yield stearic acid, greases, glycerine (for shock absorbers and body enamel) and soap chips (used in washing machined parts and bodies before painting).

HOGS furnish lard oil, oleic acid and brush bristles.

GOAT'S HAIR (Mohair) goes into upholstery.

BEESWAX goes into electrical imbedding compounds.

COTTON goes into tires, batting, cloth, battery box, timing gears, brake linings and, not least important, into Safety Glass. (Every Ford V-8 car built this year will have Safety Glass in every window, at no extra cost to the car buyer... Cotton, in the form of cellulose acetate, is the central part between the two sheets of glass that make up every finished sheet of Safety Glass.)

CORN yields butyl alcohol (for enamel finishes and other purposes) and starch (for stiffening cotton linings).

LINSEED OIL is the basis for paint—is used in foundry cores—and is one of the ingredients of the beautiful, synthetic baked enamel finish on a Ford V-8.

SUGAR CANE yields molasses for solvents, anti-freeze and shock absorber fluids.

CASTOR OIL goes into lacquers and artificial

leather suitable for rumble seats, where real leather would be damaged by exposure to the weather.

TUNG OIL is part of the top material used in Ford cars and is also used in brake linings.

TURPENTINE is used in paints, adhesives and solvents.

SOY BEANS are used in making cores for metal castings in our foundry and are also an important part of the baked enamel finish of a Ford V-8 and of the plastic knobs and buttons in the car's interior.

LUMBER is used for packing purposes. It is not used for any structural part of the Ford car, which has a welded, all-steel body, reinforced with steel, for maximum safety.

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Churches and Church Activities

METHODIST CHURCH

There was an encouraging attendance at the services of last Sunday. There is a gradual growth in the congregations for which we are grateful. In the absence of Brother Littleton, a number of the Baptist people came with us for the evening services. We always enjoy visits from the members of other congregations when their church duties permit. Fellowship with God's people fosters friendliness and a better understanding.

Since we are having just one church service Sunday, won't you Methodist people make a special effort to be present for this worship hour. The Commencement Sermon will be delivered at the High School Sunday evening and our services are called in. The subject for the eleven o'clock hour will be, "The Prodigal at Home." Scripture will be taken from the parable of the "Prodigal Son." The third sermon of this series will be at the eleven o'clock hour Sunday, May 26th, "The Father's Love for Wayward Children." At the evening service of this day, Rev. Homer Vanderpool will bring the message and continue in an evangelistic campaign each evening of that week.

Are you inviting your friends to be with us for the dedication? Let's make it a real home coming time and renew the friendship of former days as well as deepening our own faith in God. Cheerfulness and willing service will add much to the success of the occasion. The men who dug the Panama Canal gave us a fine example in the song they sang; said they, "Got any rivers they say are uncrossable? Got any mountains you can't tunnel through? We specialize in the wholly impossible. Doing the thing that no one can do." Let's take their spirit and trust God to see us through.

H. A. LONGINO, Pastor.

FIDELIS MATRONS IN BUSINESS AND SOCIAL MEETING

Thursday afternoon the Fidelis Matrons Class met in the home of Mrs. Tate May on Jackson Avenue, someone with you.

for the appointed business and social hour.

A short business session was followed by games, contests and the revealing of class forgetmenots.

A plate holding home made ice cream and cake was passed to Mmes. J. Frank Johnson, M. T. Woodward, Loy Fry, J. Ubben, Hugh Gafford, Metta Haines, John Vaughan, Jack Miles, Mac Brundage, Carl Young, D. O. Brown, Charlie Branton, Rodgers, Blanton, Calvin Smith, Grogan, Turner, Vernon Harrell, Yarbrough, Tom Williams, Roy Morris, Tate May and Fred Moore.

ALATHEANS HAVE BUSINESS AND SOCIAL MEETING

The Alathean Sunday School Class, taught by Mrs. Bowen Pope, met at the church on Monday afternoon, May 15th. The class has an enrollment of 28 with 16 present.

The class has chosen as its song, "Loyalty to Christ;" as its colors, red, white and green; as its flower, pansy. The aim of the class is "To Inspire Loyalty to Jesus Christ."

During the afternoon the Standard of Excellence was discussed. It was decided that one requirement was lacking—that of registration, and after three months that requirement will be fulfilled.

The class enjoyed a Bible quiz and several contests, followed with refreshments.

The class will meet the second Monday in each month for business and social hour. Each member is especially invited to attend these meetings.

METHODIST SENIOR LEAGUE

We had a good attendance at our "Mother's Day" program rendered by Mrs. R. N. Fairley, Louise Proctor, Mina Faye Cotten and MoVelda Carlton.

Miss Leone Bowman was elected as our voting delegate to attend the Northwest Texas Young Peoples' Assembly in Abilene from June 3 to 7. We hope to have more from our League to attend.

Again we urge every member to be present next Sunday and bring someone with you.

THE PRESIDENT, FIRST DISTRICT MUSIC CLUBS, VISITED HAMLIN



MRS. HARLEY F. GOBLE, Wichita Falls.

SCHUBERT MUSIC CLUB

ENTERTAINED WITH TEA

Friday afternoon in the First Methodist Church, the Schubert Music Club entertained with a beautifully appointed musical silver tea, naming Mrs. Harley F. Goble, of Wichita Falls, first district president, who appeared on the program, as honor guest. Others sharing this honor with Mrs. Goble were her accompanist, Mrs. J. O. Dotson, radio artist of Wichita Falls, Mrs. N. M. Phy and Mrs. Grady Bowdy, of Stamford, who had parts on the program and contributed to the pleasure of the afternoon.

As guests arrived, they were welcomed by Mrs. R. B. Wiar and Mrs. Bill Rountree who presented them to Mrs. J. E. Moody, president of the club, who headed the receiving line composed of the honor guests and officers of the club. Mrs. P. A. Fowler and Mrs. Q. Martin presided over the register, a dainty handmade book fashioned as a May basket. The same design was featured in programs which were small May baskets, gay with bright colored spring flowers.

ored spring flowers.

In the auditorium baskets of pink roses and other spring flowers were placed on the piano, chancel rail and at other vantage points, creating a beautiful setting for the delightful musical program which was rendered by the Schubert Club assisted by Mmes. Goble, Dotson, Phy and Bowdry.

At the conclusion of the program guests were invited into the reception room of the church where Mrs. J. E. Moody, retiring president, and Mrs. W. C. Russell, incoming president, poured tea. Laid in a Madeira cloth, the table was centered with a large silver basket filled with pink roses and lighted with green candles in silver holders. The same color note of pink and green was repeated in the refreshment plate which held sandwiches, individual cakes iced in white, decorated with tiny pink and green flowers, and fruit punch.

During the social hour several impromptu numbers were given by the out of town guests.

About three hundred ladies enjoyed this delightful afternoon.

MRS. O'DONNELL HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. Pat O'Donnell was hostess to the Three Seniors Club in her home on Central Avenue, Tuesday afternoon.

Roses and larkspur decorated rooms where three tables of contract were in play. High scores were made by Mrs. Clinton Barrow and Mrs. F. B. Moore.

A salad plate with cake and coffee was passed to Mmes. Fred Carpenter, Clinton Barrow, Bill Rountree, H. L. McBride, F. D. Wells, W. Akers, Grogan Turner, Frank Williams, Paul Cain, Otis Hopper, J. E. Bury and F. B. Moore.

A fly and a flea in a flue Were imprisoned, so what could they do?

Said the fly, "Let us flee!" "Let us fly!" said the flea, So they flew through a flaw in the flue.

NO ACCOUNTING NECESSARY

Hubby and friend wife were going over the budget. He ran across an item, "H. O. K. \$3," and another "H. O. K. \$7."

"My dear," he asked, "what is this item H. O. K.?"

His wife replied, "Heaven Only Knows."

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harden and little son, Thad Harold of Water Valley, were here for the week-end to visit home folks.

Lady's Painful Trouble Helped By Cardui

Why do so many women take Cardui for the relief of functional pains at monthly times? The answer is that they want results such as Mrs. Herbert W. Hunt, of Hallsville, Texas, describes. She writes: "My health wasn't good. I suffered from cramping. My pain would be so intense it would nauseate me. I would just drag around, so sluggish and 'do-less.' My mother decided to give me Cardui. I began to mend. That tired, sluggish feeling was gone and the pains disappeared. I can't praise Cardui too highly because I know it helped me." ... If Cardui does not help YOU, consult a physician.

MISS WILMA LEE SANFORD AND JACK HOLT MARRIED

The biggest surprise that two young people could have given to their parents and friends was handed out last week when it was known the Mr. Jack Holt and Miss Wilma Lee Sanford, both high school seniors of the 1935 class, were united in marriage.

The ceremony was at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hugh A. Longino, on Thursday evening, May 9, 1935.

Mrs. Holt is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Sanford, Hope Avenue, and Mr. Holt is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holt who live on a farm just east of Hamlin.

These young people have grown up in Hamlin, perhaps entered school the same year, and both expect to receive their high school diplomas at the end of this school term. They are already house-keeping, having apartments in one of the Johnson buildings in North Hamlin.

Mrs. J. L. Keen, of Hollywood, California, is spending a month at the home of her son, Morton Keen and family east of Hamlin. Mrs. Keen has a host of old friends in this community who are always glad to see her.

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Lettuce Nice Firm 2 Heads 9¢

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Cabbage Nice Green Heads Lb. 5¢

Potatoes Good Cookers 10 Lbs. 19¢

Yams Louisiana Potatoes 4 Lbs. 19¢

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Ruby Catsup 2 14-Oz. Bottles 25¢

Tomatoes California Pack 3 Cans 25¢

Maximum Milk 3 Small Cans 10¢

Junket Ice Cream Mix 3 Pkgs. 25¢

Maximum Flour 48 Lb. Sack \$1.85

Cream Meal 10 Lb. Sack 32¢

Fly Swatters Regular 10c Size 2 For 15¢

Vanilla Extract Tasty 8-Oz. Bottle 10¢

Dried Peaches 2 Lbs. 25¢

Syrup Brer Rabbit 5 Lb. Pail 35¢

Vigo Dog and Cat Food Lb. Can 2 For 15¢

Scot Towels For the Kitchen Roll 11¢

Pinto 12 Lbs. \$1.00

Beans 4 Lbs. 33¢

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ATHLETIC AGE LIMIT LOWERED

AUSTIN, Texas, May 14. — A significant change has been made in the rules of the Interscholastic League, following the recommendation of the State meeting of delegates. The State executive committee has adopted the 18-year old age-rule to become effective September 1, 1936, in all contest, athletic, literary, artistic and commercial. This rule will render obsolete several rules which have cluttered up the rule-book for several years, it was pointed out by Roy Bedichek, chief of the Bureau of Public School Interests at The University of Texas.

"It will do more than any other half dozen rules to guarantee to bonafide high school students the privilege of engaging in the League's program of educational competitions," Mr. Bedichek said. "It definitely places the Texas organization far in the lead of other organizations of similar kind in other states. With the exception of New York, where a 19-year old rule is in effect, all other states permit participation until 20 or 21, irrespective of the fact that the average age of graduation is around 17 years."

On recommendation of the recent State meeting of delegates, the executive committee directed the appointment of a committee to work out a state-wide conference of student self-government organizations under the sponsorship of the League, a proposal which has been under consideration for several years.

Mrs. E. R. Burns left Sunday for Tupelo, Mississippi, where she will spend some time on business and visiting the family of the late E. R. Burns.

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Don't let your head be a sepulcher for dead brains.

In the game of give and take, some people take more than they give.

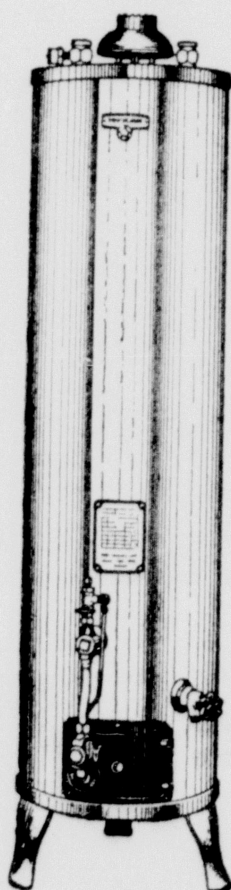
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